

Appln. No. 10/659,220  
Amdt. dated January 30, 2006  
Reply to Notice of Allowance dated November 25, 2005



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Yoshihiro Mizoguchi, et al.  
Appln. No. : 10/659,220  
Filed : September 10, 2003  
Title : IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS WITH PHOTOSENSITIVE MEMBER CLEANING BLADE

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT "C"**  
**AFTER ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.312**

Sir:

This amendment is filed in under 37 CFR § 1.312 in response to the Notice of Allowance dated November 25, 2005. This amendment is being filed with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$1,240.00 for 5 additional claims in excess of 20 (\$250.00), 1 additional independent claim in excess of 3 (\$200.00), and the RCE fee (\$790.00).

Since the issue fee has not yet been paid, please amend the application in the following manner.

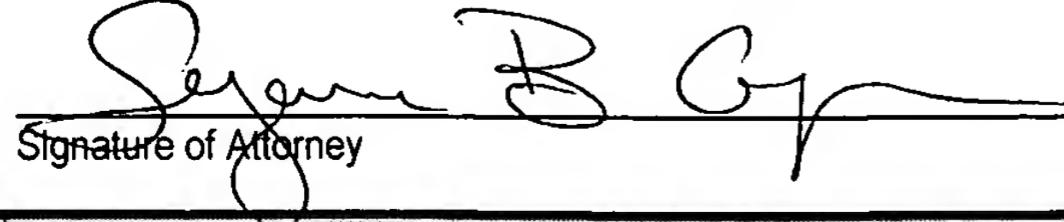
**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.

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**January 30, 2006**

Date